Membership Committee Report CABF AGM 2022

On September 23, 2023, the membership of CABF was one (1) life member and fifty-nine (59) individual members. Donations from three (3) member churches have been received so far in 2023. In the 2022 fiscal year, there was one (1) life member, fifty (56) individual members and donations were received from ten (10) member churches.

There have been two (2) new member churches and ten (10) new individual members added to CABF so far in 2023.

Individual members may participate and vote at regular and special business meetings and also receive *The Bulletin* directly by mail. Member churches may appoint delegates with voting privileges at regular and special business meetings and receive bulk mailings of *The Bulletin*. A number of individual members have chosen to renew their membership and make donations by e-transfer directly to the CABF bank account. E-transfers can be sent to cabftreasurer@gmail.com

In 2022 CABF Council changed the method for determining annual individual memberships. Individual memberships now run for a period of twelve (12) consecutive months instead of the calendar year. Also, individual members are notified when their membership is about to expire. This has resulted in the retention rate for individual members to increase from approximately 40% prior in 2021 to 87% in 2022 and 95% so far in 2023.

Respectfully submitted

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